

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT CORPS OF ENGINEERS P. O. BOX 4970 JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32232-0019

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

Regulatory Division 199404532(IP-BB) Modification #7 JUN 1 1 2001

Mr. Neil Larson Ecosystem Restoration Department South Florida Water Management District P.O. Box 24680 West Palm Beach, Florida 33406-4680

Dear Mr. Larson:

Reference is made to the Department of the Army Permit, numbered 199404532, that authorized certain works for the Everglades Construction Project. The permit was issued to the South Florida Water Management District on March 13, 1997. This letter hereby modifies that permit related to Stormwater Treatment Area 5 (STA-5).

The following new subparagraph and sub-subparagraphs are hereby added to Special Condition 18 to reflect actions taken by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection.

- "a. The following Special Conditions of this permit no longer apply to work related to Stormwater Treatment Area 5 since they are either superceded or duplicated by the provisions in the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) Everglades Forever Act Permit Number 0131842, issued by FDEP on February 29, 2000, Administrative Orders Numbered AO-003-EV and AO-004-EV, issued by FDEP on February 29, 2000, Modification Approval, issued October 16, 2000, and National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit Number FL0177954 issued May 24, 2001. Except for Special Condition 2, the conditions listed below still apply to the remainder of the work authorized by this permit."
- "(1) Special Condition 2 (superceded by various requirement of the FDEP documents, including Specific Condition 11 of the Everglades Forever Act Permit Number 0131842.)"
- "(2) Special Condition 5 (duplicated by Specific Condition 25 of the Everglades Forever Act Permit Number 0131842 and Special Condition 14 of Administrative Order Number AO-003-EV.)"

- "(3) The lead paragraph of Special Condition 7 and the sub-paragraphs 7a., 7b., and 7c. (duplicated by Special Condition 15 of Administrative Order Number AO-003-EV.)"
- "(4) Sub-paragraph 7d. (superceded by Specific Conditions 9 and 10 of the Everglades Forever Act Permit Number 0131842.)"
- "(5) Special Condition 8 (superceded by various monitoring requirements of the FDEP documents.)"

Thank you very much for your assistance in advising of this design change and for your cooperation with our permit program.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

Colonel, U.S. Army District Engineer

Enclosures